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General Dean C. Strother  
Commander in Chief,  
North American Air Defense Command  
Ent Air Force Base  
Colorado Springs, Colorado

Dear General Strother:

I wish to thank you for the outstanding briefings given  
by officers of your Command to a visiting CIA group on 8 June.

To Colonel G. P. Gould and the team which he assembled  
goes our sincere appreciation. From General Griffith's open-  
ing remarks to General Stocking's answers during the question  
period in the Combat Operations Center, each part of the pro-  
gram helped to convey effectively the problems and capabilities  
of the North American Air Defense Command.

I hope that other CIA groups may have the opportunity of  
visiting NORAD Headquarters for these informative briefings.

Sincerely,

/s/ Richard Helms

ORIGINATOR:

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Director of Training

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Date

Richard Helms  
Deputy Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Heals

Attached are proposed letters of appreciation to General John D. Ryan, Commander in Chief, Strategic Air Command, and General Dean C. Strother, Commander in Chief, North American Air Defense Command, for briefings given to members of our Midcareer Course.

Request two signatures.

L. K. White

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